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In re Application of: Cairney, John

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CONIFER cDNAs, AND THEIR USE IN
IMPROVING SOMATIC EMBRYOGENESIS

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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